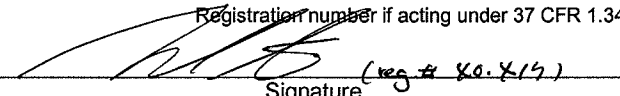


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| PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a) FY 2009 <i>(Fees pursuant to the Consolidated Appropriations Act, 2005 (H.R. 4818).)</i> | | Docket Number (Optional) 2936-0249PUS1 | |
| Application Number 10/550,002-Conf. #1240 | | Filed September 23, 2005 | |
| For WASHING MACHINE WITH ION ELUTING AND IMBALANCE CORRECTING UNITS | | | |
| Art Unit 4132 | | Examiner D. G. Cormier | |
| This is a request under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) to extend the period for filing a reply in the above identified application. | | | |
| The requested extension and fee are as follows (check time period desired and enter the appropriate fee below): | | | |
| | | <u>Fee</u> | <u>Small Entity Fee</u> |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | One month (37 CFR 1.17(a)(1)) | \$130 | \$65 \$ 130.00 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | Two months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(2)) | \$490 | \$245 \$ |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | Three months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(3)) | \$1110 | \$555 \$ |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | Four months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(4)) | \$1730 | \$865 \$ |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | Five months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(5)) | \$2350 | \$1175 \$ |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27. | | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | A check in the amount of the fee is enclosed. | | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | Payment by credit card. Form PTO-2038 is attached. | | |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | The Director has already been authorized to charge fees in this application to a Deposit Account. | | |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | The Director is hereby authorized to charge any fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account Number 02-2448. | | |
| WARNING: Information on this form may become public. Credit card information should not be included on this form. Provide credit card information and authorization on PTO-2038. | | | |
| I am the | <input type="checkbox"/> | applicant/inventor. | |
| | <input type="checkbox"/> | assignee of record of the entire interest. See 37 CFR 3.71. Statement under 37 CFR 3.73(b) is enclosed. (Form PTO/SB/96). | |
| | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | attorney or agent of record. Registration Number 39,491 | |
| | <input type="checkbox"/> | attorney or agent under 37 CFR 1.34. | |
| | | Registration number if acting under 37 CFR 1.34 | |
| |  | July 23, 2009 | |
| | Signature | Date | |
| | Michael R. Cammarata | (703) 205-8000 | |
| | Typed or printed name | Telephone Number | |
| NOTE: Signatures of all the inventors or assignees of record of the entire interest or their representative(s) are required. Submit multiple forms if more than one signature is required, see below. | | | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | Total of 1 forms are submitted. | | |